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CITY OF HOUSTON

Job Posting

Applications accepted from: All Persons Interested

Job Classification
Posting Number
Popartment
Division
Section
Reporting Location

MECHANIC III (3 vacancies)
PN# 106608
Fire Department
Fleet Management
Heavy Duty
1205 Dart

Workdays & Hours M – F, 8 a.m. – 5 p.m.*

*Subject to change

9 DESCRIPTION OF DUTIES/ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS

Perform scheduled and unscheduled maintenance repairs, modification and related services to various types of fire apparatus. Diagnose problems and have direct interaction with your supervisor to choose the best course of action, personally repair and road test. Supervise and train less skilled personnel as well as work well alone or with others on your team. Be able to read electrical schematics, diagnose charts, and use shop manuals. Use hand tools, power tools and various equipment. Stay current on new technology, and maintain technical skills by continuing education. Maintain a safe and clean work environment. Perform other duties as assigned. *Must furnish own hand tools*.

10 **WORKING CONDITIONS**

The position involves considerable physical exertion, such as regular climbing of ladders, lifting heavy objects (up to 80 pounds) on a highly frequent basis and/or assuming awkward positions for long periods of time. There are routine exposures to significant levels of heat, cold, moisture and air pollution. The position may involve periodic exposures to chemical substances and physical trauma of a minor nature such as cuts, bruises and minor burns.

11 MINIMUM EDUCATIONAL REQUIREMENTS

Requires an Associate's degree or certification/licensing in a technical specialty program of over 18 months.

12 MINIMUM EXPERIENCE REQUIREMENTS

Three (3) years of automotive maintenance and repair experience is required. Technical automotive experience may be substituted for the above education requirement on a year-for-year basis.

13 MINIMUM LICENSE REQUIREMENTS

Valid Texas Class A or B Commercial Driver's License (CDL) and compliance with the City of Houston's policy on driving (AP 2-2).

14 | PREFERENCES

Preference will be given to applicants with a State Inspection License, ASE and/or EVT certifications and/or experience in fire apparatus repair, and knowledge of HVAC.

15 SELECTION/SKILLS TESTS REQUIRED None

If yes, this position is subject to random drug testing and if a promotional position, candidate must pass an assignment drug test.

17 SALARY INFORMATION

Factors used in determining the salary offered include the candidate's qualifications as well as the pay rates of other employees in this classification. The minimum to midpoint of this salary range is:

<u>Salary Range – Pay Grade 19</u> \$1,094.00 - \$1,491.00 Biweekly \$28,444.00 – \$38,766.00 Annually

18 *OPENING DATE* August 31, 2005

19 *CLOSING DATE* Open Until Filled

20 APPLICATION PROCEDURES

Original applications only are accepted and must be received by the Human Resources Department during posting opening and closing dates shown, between 9:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. at 611 Walker, 1st Level. TDD Phone number (713) 837-9471. Successful candidates will be notified of their application status. All new and rehires must pass a pre-employment drug test and are subject to a physical examination and verification of information provided.

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